Fast Flux Test Facility (FFTF) Project (RL-0042)

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Overview

This section addresses work in Project Baseline Summary RL-0042, *Nuclear Facility Deactivation and Decommissioning, Fast Flux Test Facility Project.*

NOTE: Unless otherwise noted, all information contained herein is as of the end of October 2004.

Notable Accomplishments

Fuel Offload: The first of 22 new Interim Storage Casks (ISCs) being fabricated by Transnuclear, Inc., was delivered to the Fast Flux Test Facility (FFTF) on October 13, 2004. This ISC was then loaded and shipped from the FFTF to the 200 Area Interim Storage Area the following week. These casks will be used to store all the remaining spent nuclear fuel from FFTF.

Primary Sodium Drain: Phase two of the primary sodium drain has been completed. Approximately 20,600 gallons of sodium were drained from the primary systems and transferred to the Sodium Storage Facility (SSF). Approximately 60 percent of the original FFTF sodium inventory (260,000 gallons) has now been transferred to the SSF. Phase three will drain all remaining sodium from the reactor vessel. Long-lead activities for phase three continue.

Fuel Storage Facility (FSF) Sodium Drain: The FSF sodium draining effort has begun. Two tanks removed from the Closed Loop Module will be used to build a system allowing a series of vacuum/ pressure transfers from FSF to the SSF. Detailed design of the required equipment and preparation of the drain procedure are in progress.

Anticipated FY 2005 FH Funds (\$M)

	FY 2005 Anticipated Funding w/Carryover				
Nuclear Facility D&D, FFTF Project	\$ 46.4				

FY 2005 Schedule/Cost Performance (\$M)

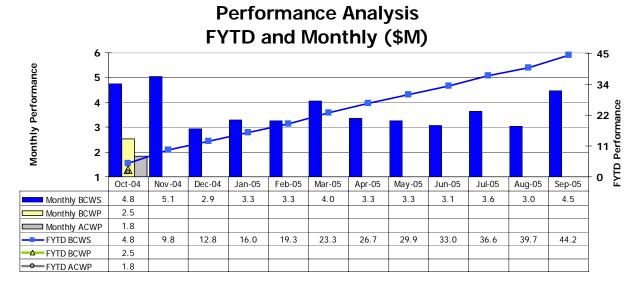
	Budgeted Cost of Work Scheduled	Budgeted Cost of Work Performed	Actual Cost of Work Performed	Schedule	Schedule Variance %	Cost Variance \$	Cost Variance %	Budget At Completion
Nuclear Facility D&D, FFTF Project	\$4.8	\$2.5	\$1.8	-\$2.2	-46.9%	\$0.7	28.1%	\$44.2

Numbers are rounded to the nearest \$M.

Schedule Performance (-\$2.2M/-46.9%): The schedule variance is an artificial variance due to the ISC procurement being budgeted in October and November to clearly identify the timing of needed funds; the fabrication will actually occur from December until the end of the fiscal year.

Cost Performance (+\$0.7M/+28.1%): The cost variance is due to deferral of Bonneville Power Administration electrical cost to November and to an ISC procurement cost accrual omission.

FY 2005 Schedule/Cost Performance (Continued)



Milestone Achievement

				Actual	Forecast	Status/
Number	Milestone Title	Type	Due Date	Date	Date	Comments
RL42-1b	Perform additional risk reduction at the	PI	Prior to	8/18/04		Complete
	FFTF by completing selected reactor		FFTF			-
	sodium and sodium-potassium alloy drain		contract			
	activities		transition			
RL42-1a2	Complete loading and transferring five	PI	8/31/04	8/20/04		Complete
	additional ISCs					-
RL42-1a3	Complete loading and transferring ten	PI	3/31/05		3/31/05	On
	additional ISCs					Schedule